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TWO CENTS.

Telegrams to The Star.

NEW PRESIDENT OF THE C. & O. CANAL.

ATTENDED MURDER IN ALEXANDRIA, VA.

ENGLAND'S WAR IN EGYPT.

ABOUK FORTS TO BE ATTACKED SUNDAY.

KING AND QUEEN OF COREA ASSASSINATED.

THE EXCITEMENT IN IRELAND.

Attempted Murder in Alexandria.

A HUSBAND CARRIES HIS WIFE UNDERGROUND.

Special Dispatch to The Evening Star.

A young tinsmith named James Clift shot his wife this morning, about 10:15 o'clock, in the

Wolfe street tunnel of the Midland railroad, in

the neighborhood of which she lived. Clift married

Miss Mary Ellen McKenney, daughter of

Capt. McKenney, of the 1st Cavalry, and she

has been quite jealous of his wife, a handsome

and spirited woman, and their domestic peace

has been quite interrupted. Their home was

in the Wolfe street tunnel, and this morning

he took her to the Wolfe street tunnel, and

as a short cut to the ferry boat, he proposed

to walk through the tunnel. When arrived midway

between the Wolfe street tunnel and the

Wolfe street tunnel, he drew a revolver and

shot her three times in the head, in her arm

and in her side. She fell to the ground, and

he fled. She was carried to the Wolfe street

tunnel, and she died. The Wolfe street tunnel

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